UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

Wendell L. Cruse.

Plaintiff,

Civil Action 2:18-cv-1543

V.

Judge Michael H. Watson

Shelley Phan,

Chief Magistrate Judge Elizabeth P. Deavers

Defendant.

ORDER

On January 24, 2019, Magistrate Judge Deavers issued a Report and Recommendation ("R&R") recommending the Court dismiss this action with prejudice pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b) for failure to prosecute. R&R, ECF No. 8. The R&R notified Plaintiff of his right to object within fourteen days and of the consequences for failing to do so. *Id.* at 5. Namely, the R&R notified Plaintiff that a failure to timely object would result in a waiver of the right to *de novo* review by the Undersigned as well as a waiver of the right to appeal the judgment of the District Court. *Id.* The time for filing objections has passed, and none were filed. Accordingly, the Court ADOPTS the R&R without conducting a *de novo* review and DISMISSES WITH PREJUDICE this action in its entirety. The Clerk shall enter judgment for Defendant and terminate this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

MÍCHAEL H. WATŚON, JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT